

## Section 401 Water Quality Certification Public Notice

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing an application for the following project for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act. We encourage public comments on the proposed work, which will be considered in the decision on certification. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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<b>Project Applicant</b>	Upper Salinas-Las Tablas Resource Conservation District - Devin Best
<b>Applicant's Agent</b>	Upper Salinas-Las Tablas Resource Conservation District - Audrey Weuchert
<b>Project Name</b>	Adelaida Creek Restoration Project
<b>Receiving Water</b>	Adelaida Creek
<b>City/County</b>	Paso Robles/San Luis Obispo
<b>Public Notice</b>	January 29, 2016 – February 19, 2016
<b>Project Description</b>	<p>The purpose of this project is to create a self-sustaining native habitat that is dominated by regionally appropriate plants.</p> <p>The project activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Removing any non-native plants within the restoration site by hand;</li><li>• Broadcasting a native riparian seed mix by hand within the project area;</li><li>• Placing straw wattles at the top of the banks for stability prior to installation of native container plantings; and,</li><li>• Installing approximately 400 native container stock and cuttings throughout the project site.</li></ul> <p>No compensatory mitigation is planned for this project.</p> <p>The Upper Salinas-Las Tablas Resource Conservation District filed a Categorical Exemption.</p>